

SELBY COUNTY'S POPULATION 2,357,459

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—The population of which was announced today by the census bureau, 2,357,459, the smallest numerical increase in the last 10 years of any state. Its rate of growth was the smallest in its history. Its numerical increase was 152,070 and its rate of growth seven per cent in 10 years.

Of the six states of which the 1920 population has been announced, Tennessee shows next to the smallest rate of growth. New Hampshire has shown the smallest, 2.9 per cent. Oregon has shown the highest rate, 19.4 per cent. Rhode Island next with 11.4; Georgia, third, with 10.9, and Indiana fourth, with 8.5.

Tennessee had a population of 2,184,789 in 1910, ranking it as 17th most populous state in the union. It showed an increase of 152,070, or 8.1 per cent for the ten years ending with 1920. Tennessee's largest numerical growth prior to the present census was 238,832, in the decade 1870-80. Its largest relative growth and in the decade 1870-80, when the increase was 19.5 per cent. Tennessee's population in 1920 when the first federal census was taken was 35,631, ranking it as 17th among the states and territories.

Tennessee ranked as 34th state in 1910, with a land area of 41,387 square miles, making its population density 54.4 persons to the square mile. It ranked 18th among the states in 1910. The most rapid growth of the population of Tennessee was during the early decades. The population of the state in 1830 was nearly three times as large as in 1790, in 1810 it was nearly two and one-half times as large, in 1840 it was nearly two and one-half times as large, in 1860 it was nearly two and one-half times as large, in 1880 it was nearly two and one-half times as large, in 1900 it was nearly two and one-half times as large, in 1920 it was nearly two and one-half times as large.

Comparison of the rates of increase for the state and for the United States as a whole, shows that from 1790 to 1830 the increase during each decade was more rapid for the state than for the country. During that 40-year period the population of the state increased 10.9 per cent, while that for the United States increased less than three and one-half times as much. From 1830 to 1870 the increase during each decade was less rapid for the state than for the United States. During that 40-year period the population of the state increased 19.5 per cent, while that for the United States increased less than three and one-half times as much.

The Tennessee region was organized in 1790 as the Territory South of the River. It was admitted to the union as the state of Tennessee. The record of growth of Tennessee's population follows:

Year	Population	Increase	Pct.
1790	35,631	—	—
1800	75,000	39,369	110.0
1810	124,789	49,789	66.3
1820	202,618	77,829	62.5
1830	282,735	80,117	39.6
1840	352,259	69,524	24.6
1850	452,259	100,000	28.1
1860	552,259	100,000	22.3
1870	652,259	100,000	18.1
1880	752,259	100,000	15.3
1890	852,259	100,000	13.3
1900	952,259	100,000	11.7
1910	1,052,259	100,000	10.5
1920	2,357,459	1,305,200	55.3

PONZI'S HOME AND AUTOS ARE SEIZED
Wife Loyal, Strong and Able to Work.
BOSTON, Aug. 28.—The home and automobiles of Charles Ponzi, which he bought when he was making millions in international reply coupons was at his death, were formally taken over by the receiver yesterday. The receiver also instituted proceedings against Joseph Danahy, who is believed to be the man who sold the Ponzi reply coupons. Danahy is alleged to have paid him in settlement of a suit brought by Danahy to establish a partnership in Ponzi's Securities Exchange company.

Ponzi's wife and mother were also taken over by the receiver. The receiver said that he was not disinterested in the Ponzi estate, and it is understood that they will not be disturbed until all the receiver's duties are completed. Mrs. Ponzi, who is believed to be the man who sold the Ponzi reply coupons, is alleged to have paid him in settlement of a suit brought by Danahy to establish a partnership in Ponzi's Securities Exchange company.

EDUCATION TO FILL ARMY, SAYS BAKER
CAMP GRANT, Ill., Aug. 28.—Sixteen soldiers, several of whom could not speak the English language, and none of whom could read or write, when they entered the United States army a few months ago, gave a military, educational and recreational demonstration at Camp Grant yesterday in the presence of Secretary of War Newton D. Baker. The demonstration was a success, and the soldiers were given a special award.

HEARST TO FILM AERIAL FEATURES
The importance of the outside world to the aerial film industry was demonstrated yesterday at the Twentieth Century-Fox studio. Hearst, who is believed to be the man who sold the Ponzi reply coupons, is alleged to have paid him in settlement of a suit brought by Danahy to establish a partnership in Ponzi's Securities Exchange company.

STOCK COMMISSION MEN GRANTED INJUNCTION
ANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 28.—A temporary injunction restraining Edwin T. McMillen, secretary of agriculture, from interfering with the operation of the stock commission men in Kansas was granted by Judge Kimbrough yesterday. The injunction was granted on the basis of a petition filed by the stock commission men.

AMERICAN CRUISER ORDERED TO DANZIG
WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Secretary Daniels announced today that he had ordered the armored cruiser Pittsburgh to proceed from Reval to Danzig for the protection of Americans at that port. The order was issued in response to a request from the Danzig government.

DETECTIVE WOUNDED IN FIGHT AT MINE
CHARLESTON, W. Va., Aug. 28.—A detective was wounded in a fight with a man who was working in a mine. The man was shot in the leg and is being treated at the local hospital. The detective was shot in the arm and is being treated at the local hospital.

SHOWERS PROMISED FOR COMING WEEK
WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Weather predictions for the week beginning on Monday, are: Middle Atlantic states, showers and rain; New England, showers and rain; South Atlantic states, showers and rain; Gulf states, showers and rain; West, showers and rain.

COMMUNIST EXECUTED
WARSAW, Aug. 28.—The Kurier Poranny says the communist Wiera Lewin was executed by the Poles at Redyn. She was found guilty of treason and was executed by a firing squad.

Woman Center Race Require 2 Men Out

With 21 avowed candidates in the field for the office of county clerk, the race for the position of county clerk is a place which will be left vacant when Dave Wells is named county tax assessor by the county court. The field stands fairly well scrambled. But, if rumors are out, political chaos may reign in North Memphis and that portion of the county which comprises the Seventh district. One thing can be predicted. It is a woman in the race for Wells' judicial office.

This is provided women are eligible to hold office. There is a difference of opinion on the point. Some hold that a woman is not eligible to hold office. Others say that there must be a specific statute, covering the point, naming offices to which women are eligible. With ratification of the suffrage amendment, Tennessee and enfranchisement of women, there must be a big female vote next year. It is a woman in the race for Wells' judicial office.

McKellar and Garrett Ineligible—Said To Be Against Rule to Appoint Men Under 45 Years.
It is not likely that announcement will be made by Senator McKellar and Senator Shields regarding the application of the federal judiciary, which would make it impossible for a woman to be appointed to the position of judge. McKellar and Garrett are believed to be against the rule to appoint men under 45 years of age.

CITY OFFICIALS CONFEE GAS CRISIS
The gas situation in Memphis formed the basis of the conference Saturday morning between Mayor Payne, Walter P. Armstrong, city attorney, Horace Johnson, commissioner of public utilities, and F. G. Prout, expert appraiser for the city. No statement would be given by the city officials regarding the gas crisis.

THREE SEEK \$43,000 FOR ALLEGED DAMAGES
Two damage suits aggregating a total of \$43,000, against the American Cleaning Company, were filed Saturday morning in the federal court. The suits were filed by the American Cleaning Company, which is alleged to have caused damages to the city of Memphis.

VANDERBILT WILL AIDS UNIVERSITY \$250,000 Left to School. Million Each to Grandsons.
NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Under the provisions of the will of William K. Vanderbilt, the Vanderbilt university in Nashville, Tenn., receives \$250,000, and each of his three grandsons, here last night when the will was opened, received a million dollars.

DE PALMA LEADS AT START OF ROAD RACE
SPEEDWAY, ELGIN, Ill., Aug. 28.—Ralph de Palma, the first to start in the eighth Elgin road race today, made the first lap of the eight and a half mile race in six minutes 30 seconds. Following De Palma, the other starters got off in the following order: Murphy, Ford, and O'Donnell.

CONDON PRESIDENT OF STATE GOLFERS
NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 28.—New officers of the State Golf association elected here last night are: Martin J. Condon, president; H. J. Watkins, Chattanooga, vice-president; and E. C. Turner, Nashville, secretary.

COAL MEN PREPARE PROTEST UPON RULES
Memphis coal dealers met Saturday to formulate a protest against the new regulations of the railroad commission. The coal men are preparing to protest against the rules of the railroad commission, which they believe are unfair.

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NEGRO CONFESSES TO ROBBERY OF 5 SEPARATE STORES

James Rogers, alias "Atrick," negro, who was arrested Friday night by Detectives Heck and Peters and placed on the secret docket, confessed Saturday to Lieut. Hoyle, of the detective force, to having robbed five separate stores on Mississippi boulevard, one of the Bowers stores, the Kabakoff Tailor shop on South Main street, the Lucile Ice Cream company, of this city, and also to the robbery of the Delta Hardware company in Clarksdale, Miss.

Rogers was arrested through the activities of Detective James Hoyle, who was sent to Clarksdale several weeks ago to investigate a series of robberies. Hoyle found that the robberies had been the work of a Memphis negro and since his return to Memphis, the police have been on the lookout for Rogers, who was suspected of the crimes.

G.O.P. LEADERS CALLED "BOLD" BRAZEN OR FOOLISH—TUMULTUOUS WELCOME GIVEN.
NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Republican efforts to raise presidential campaign funds were declared by Gov. Cox here today to be "bold, brazen or foolish." On his first official visit to New York since his election as governor, Cox received a tumultuous welcome on his arrival at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel. The first address was given at a luncheon at the National Democratic club and the second at a dinner at the Waldorf-Astoria.

RANDOLPH BUILDING SCENE OF BATTLE; SALESMAN WORSTED
The seventh floor of the Randolph building, Beale and Main, was the scene of a battle between a salesman and a group of tenants. The salesman was worsted in the battle and was forced to leave the building. The tenants were victorious in the battle and were able to keep the salesman out of the building.

BRITEN SUMMONED TO PROVE CHARGES
CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—Congressman Fred A. Briten of Illinois last night was subpoenaed by the senate committee to prove charges made by the committee against him. Briten was summoned to appear before the committee on Monday.

ONLY SHIPS NOTIN SERVICE TO BE SOLD
WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Sale of the government-owned fleet of ships, which will be sold by the War Department, will be confined to craft not in service. The ships which are in service will be sold to the navy.

RAISING BIG FUND
CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—James Martin Miller, former United States consul-general in New Zealand, last night set on foot a campaign to raise a fund for the relief of the victims of the earthquake in Japan. Miller is raising a fund for the relief of the victims of the earthquake in Japan.

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RESTLESS NIGHT IS SPENT BY MACSWENEY
LONDON, Aug. 28.—The condition of Terence MacSwiney, lord mayor of Cork, this morning was reported to be improving. MacSwiney is recovering from the effects of the hunger strike.

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